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WE HAVE NO SURE KNOWLEDGE OF REASONS THAT MAY LIE BEHIND THE SOVIET AND EAST GERMAN DECISION TO EVACUATE THEIR DEPENDENTS. OF THREE HYPOTHESES YOU PUT FORWARD, (C) STRIKES US AS MOST PROBABLE. THIS CONNECTION, WE NOTE USDAO TEL AVIV'S 181445Z REPORTING ZEIRA'S EXPRESSION OF CONCERN ABOUT INCREASE ISRAELIS HAVE DETECTED IN FEDAYEEN ACTION ACROSS LEBANESE BORDER AGAINST CIVILIAN SETTLEMENTS. OTHER REPORTS ALSO INDICATE INCREASED FEDAYEEN ACTIVITY DURING PAST FEW DAYS. SOVIETS PROBABLY GETTING SIMILAR REPORTS AND ESTIMATING THAT SOME ISRAELI ACTION AGAINST LEBANON HAS BECOME MORE LIKELY. KISSINGER

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